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WEEKLY SPORTING BUDGET.

Interesting News From All the Western Association Cities.
WHAT WILL THE HARVEST BE.

The Fistic Arena—The Forest, Field and Stream—The Local By-ones—City Polo League, and Questions Answered.

Western Association Affairs.

Considerable influence has been brought to bear within the last two weeks to induce the Sioux City club to leave the Western association and join the State league. This league will be composed of Clinton, Dubuque, Cedar Rapids, Davenport, Burlington and several other cities. The final appeal to Sioux City to join the league was made by E. F. Fawcett, of Dubuque, who wrote President Peavey requesting that a representative be sent to the meeting to be held at Des Moines to-morrow. No delegates will be sent, Mr. Peavey thinking that the Western association is good enough for Sioux City.

The information that Denver might possibly be dropped from the Western association has caused considerable feeling in the Mountain City. Dave Rowe says that Denver will not be dropped, but, on the contrary, he is represented by the pennant winners for 1891. "And," continued Mr. Rowe, "I have positive assurance from the best of authority that there is not the slightest disposition on the part of the Western association managers to throw out such a good ball team as Denver. According to the constitution a club can not be thrown out, but can withdraw, when the franchise reverts back to the association. The idea of St. Paul's franchise being given to Duluth is simply out of the question. Omaha's next season, as the latter club has already withdrawn from the association, Denver will have the very best club money can secure, and if we do not bring down the pennant, it will be no fault of the management."

Milwaukee has been doing a good deal of work about going into the American association, but anybody knowing anything at all about the present status of affairs in that organization is well aware that this is absolutely out of the question. Milwaukee will remain right where she is, in the Western association, and the management is already making out a vigorous campaign for next season. Shock has been made captain of the team, and is now engaged in a hunt for a couple of new twirlers, a second baseman and an outfielder. Sutton will be released. Hob Lowe, the Cream City's great outfielder, has been signed by Boston, but just how this has been brought about no one seems to know. He is a wonderful fielder, the equal of McAleer any day. It is said his contract with Boston is another piece of Manager Frank Seely's sick work.

Down at St. Joe the base ball cranks claim that notwithstanding they have been forever consigned to the soup by the papers of the city, they are not at all discouraged, and are on deck as large as life next season. They acknowledge that there are many people in the borg disgusted with base ball, owing to the past season's gigantic failure, but assert there is sufficient enthusiasm left to support a team in good shape next year. This, however, is a idle talk. The association cannot afford to allow St. Joe to remain within her ranks another year, and it is not at all probable that they will do so under any circumstances.

There is but little news obtainable from St. Paul. Manager Thompson writes the base ball editor of the Star that the story of St. Paul dropping out of the western association is all bosh, but instead, he will have a stronger team than ever last year, and try to take the majority of falls out of Omaha. He has in view men to take the places of Reilly, Werrick and Carroll, and

a phenomenal young twirler whose name he refuses to reveal.

A movement was set afoot in Des Moines a week ago to dispose of \$10,000 of their base ball stock at \$50 a share, with a view of retaining their franchise in the Western association, but the effort was attended with discouraging results, and there is but little likelihood of the prohibition capital remaining with us. Des Moines had better make up her mind to rest content with state league honors. That is her proper sphere.

In Minneapolis the national game is kept booming at all seasons, and from the energetic work of Secretary Morton, it is evident that she intends to set a hot pace for the flag next season.

In Omaha the enthusiasm, owing to the sale of the team's star players, is at an unusually low ebb. However, President McCormick is now negotiating the sale of the team of the club, and after the uncertainties of the situation are cleared away, he will be heard from. Omaha will have a fine team next year, the public can rest assured.

What Will the Harvest Be?

Base ball affairs, to say the least, are in a very unsettled and ominous condition, and a solution of the problem will be a hard one to get at. If the National league and the brotherhood actively enter upon hostilities at their respective meetings this month, it may be confidently anticipated that many of the ball clubs will be forced to declare bankruptcy. There have so long and so adequately upheld the game will crumble away. This will throw things into such a chaotic mess that years must elapse before they can possibly be straightened out and righted again. From the present outlook this seems inevitable, as the brotherhood has gone so far that there is no backing out, and the league will certainly not make the wholesale concessions demanded of it. What will be the result of this unfortunate complication upon the minor leagues is the question that naturally presents itself. And it is an easy one to answer. It means nothing short of their utter destruction. Their vitality will be sapped away by the older and more weathered organizations in their own preservation. For minor laws and agreements will go for naught. On the part of the league it will be anything to do with the players' confederation, and the right of the minor associations will be lost sight of and trampled upon in the fight. Their players will be taken away from them as fast as they develop sufficient strength to leave them a place in the league, and in this way base ball in all the minor cities will be kept in such a state of belated and uncertainty that it will require but a short time to disgust the patrons, and bankrupt and dissolving clubs and dissolving associations will follow each other in such rapid succession that the hardest crank of all will be glad to toss up the sponge and cry enough. Omaha is already experiencing a foretaste of what is to come, in case this rumored war is actually declared. There may be, however, a conference yet this month between the belated factions that will lead to some sort of an adjustment of a bicycle done in flowers and a beautiful Maltese cross. Miss O'Brien was made happy with a huge harp. Knapp was presented with a silver-mounted umbrella from a local wheelman's association.

The Frisco Cycle Chase.

The bicycle tournament under the management of John J. Hardin, at San Francisco last week was an overwhelming success. The race closed Sunday night, the scores standing as follows: Baldwin 84, Knapp 81, Morgan 80, Reading 80, Oakes 70, O'Brien 72. Baldwin, Oakes and O'Brien were given 100 miles handicap. The last day of the match was by no means uneventful. There was a floral exhibit that almost rivalled that of the recent exhibition of the State Floral society. Miss Baldwin received a magnificent design of a bicycle done in flowers and a beautiful Maltese cross. Miss O'Brien was made happy with a huge harp. Knapp was presented with a silver-mounted umbrella from a local wheelman's association.

The City Polo League.

The directors of the Coliseum will put down a hard maple floor and introduce steam heating at the building immediately in order

to be in readiness for the opening of the season by the City Polo League. Manager Prince states that four teams have already been organized, viz: The Continentals, the Falcons, the Hornets and the Omaha Wheel Club team, and that he has applications for the other four which will complete the league. Two games are to be scheduled for each week during the season, which is to continue from December 1 to April 1, making a series of forty games in all.

A Little of Everything.

Tom Connors and Arthur Rothery will meet upon the mat at the People's tomorrow evening, for a purse of \$50. Connors, the champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler of America, will endeavor to down the local man twice in twenty minutes. At the same place Tuesday evening Baldwin, the Omaha strong man, will meet the champion under similar conditions.

Joe Austin, the Grand Island pug, demonstrated fully Thursday evening, in a set-to before the Gate City Athletic club, that he has no business in the same ring with Jack Davis, the St. Paul heavy-weight.

Jack Crooks, of Columbus, O., arrived in the city Friday and left for Kansas City last night.

The geese and brant are at last affording fine sport along the Platte. The birds have come in in countless flocks and the bars are covered with them, and hunting parties are departing and returning daily. Shooting is reported excellent at Cozad, Gothenburg, Willow Island and Ogallala.

A meeting has been called for Wednesday afternoon at Billy Melburn's shop in the Ware block, for the purpose of organizing a local kennel club.

Frank Chrysler, a member of the Lefever gun club, and a fine field shot, has returned from Denver for the winter.

Jimmy Lindsay is training hard for his coming contest with Jimmy Griffin. He has gotten down to 120 pounds, and is as hard as nails. He is confident of victory. Griffin, too, is losing no time. He is steadily at work under the direction of his trainer, and is expected to make a moment's notice to step into the ring. He says the contest will be over in less than six rounds, and that he will leave Omaha with Lindsay's curls dangling at his belt.

Arrangements have been made by the Lincoln gun club for a grand tournament to be held on the state fair grounds, beginning on the morning of the 23rd of November and continuing through two days. It will be styled the first annual tournament of the Lincoln Gun club, and the contests will be open to all comers. Assurances of a large attendance of marksmen from abroad have been received, and the club confidently expects the event to prove a big success. All matches will be governed by the American Shooting association's rules.

The committee in charge of arrangements comprises Messrs. G. A. Bush, who is captain, G. C. St. John and C. H. Clarke, secretary. Frank Partridge, John Dunham, Billy Brower and other well known shots will attend from this city.

State Fish Commissioner Lew May, of Fremont, was in Omaha a couple of days this week in seeking of the hatchery business, he stated that the private car to be used in transporting the fishy tribe would be ready for service at about 10 o'clock.

In fact, the next important contest will take place before the Gate City Athletic club, between Jimmy Lindsay and Jimmy Griffin.

will be the only one west of Chicago. Denver wishes to put two Chicago men against anything Omaha can produce, and will risk \$500 on the match, while Casey, of New York, will wager from \$1,000 to \$3,000 on a home game, either double or single.

From latest accounts, Roe is having a tough time on his ride from San Francisco to Chicago, and it is doubtful if he will make the trip inside of fifty-nine days.

The American Shooting association will likely hold a mammoth shooting tournament at Louisville next spring. Major J. M. Taylor, the manager, is there ascertaining personally the prospects for holding such an event. Messrs. Parnelle and Dunmore, of this city, will endeavor to induce Major Taylor to fix a national tourney for this city immediately after the St. Louis meet.

The famous trotter Artell has been taken to Washington park, Chicago. He will be kept there for a month, and then will be sent to the farm of W. P. Jams, at Terre Haute.

Local Wheel Notes.

But little has transpired in local wheel circles during the past week.

Nations move by cycles," says Emerson. The Omaha Wheel club will put a team in the City Polo league, and a winner, too, so the boys say.

The Ramblers met last evening and reorganized, starting out with a membership of twenty-one.

A run to Glenwood has been called for the Omaha club for to-day, but owing to the unfavorable condition of the roads it will probably be postponed.

Ned Reading, the soldier bicyclist, has settled in Portland, Ore., and will stand in for Lincoln Morgan in his management of the new Coliseum.

The Wheelmen's Gazette tells of a village preacher who, as he picked himself up after a fall, cried: "The winter's rest, however, will bring them around all right."

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tator, is eating snow balls at North Wyndham, Maine.

Joe Werrick, of the St. Pauls, has been sold to Baltimore for \$500.

It is said that Burdick will get \$2,000 from Sioux City next year for his management. Chicago is making overtures to Milwaukee for Davis, the Brewers crack twirler.

Boston has already gobbled up Nichols, and now it seems Seale is after Clarke, too. Conway, Pears, Smith, Healy and Sowers will be the pitching for Kansas City next year.

J. B. Freeman, the well known young pitcher is still in the city, open to an engagement with the Boston Braves.

Barrie, of the Baltimore, is after Outfielder Murphy, of the Apostles, to supplant Old Joe Hornung.

The St. Paul club has promised to give Glascock's younger brother, Jim, a trial. Jack says Jim will make a ball player.

Patsy Oliver Tebeau quit the season in Cleveland with a very bad attack of chills. His jaw, however, is still as sound as ever.

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The price paid St. Paul by Columbus for Reilly was \$1,000, instead of \$2,500, as reported broadcast through the land.

It has looked out that the nature of the pitch in the Boston-Omaha deal for Kid Nichols is that Nichols insists on one-half of the purchase money. The Omaha management would be foolish to allow the presumptuous youth a single nickel.

Ben Young, the Western association umpire, is now seeking his fortune in the mining regions of California. He has great expectations, and while he is not meeting with much success at present, he hopes to see the day when he will be worth a barrel of gold.

Werrick evidently was out of place at third base when he played with Louisville, as the best season's work was tried at second by St. Paul and played a wonderful game in that position. He will undoubtedly strengthen the Baltimore, as in addition to being a good fielder he is a hard hitter.

Minneapolis is rapidly acquiring a reputation as a "fake" city. The latest piece of "news" from Morton's ballfield is to the effect that the building and the Boston Braves are interested in the Brotherhood league, and that they have invested a large sum of money in the undertaking. In view of Shallders' threat to fight the Brotherhood to the end, this is a rather fishy story.

Billy Hart, the pitcher, has returned from his engagement with the Des Moines club and is sticking to type on an afternoon daily. Billy says base ball has been an awful "frost" in Des Moines this summer. Last season they had a salary of \$1,000, and the poor tail-enders of this season in consequence drew crowds of the two-men-and-yellow-dog description.—Cincinnati Commercial.

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Charles Hoover, Kansas City's crack catcher is now enjoying himself in hunting and fishing near Lincoln, Neb. While scuffling in fun at Lincoln the other night Charley lost his big spitfire diamond.

pink is the largest in the country, with a skating surface of six laps to the mile, and during the coming winter it is proposed to give a series of races between the champion skaters of the country. The first race will be between Axel Paulsen, the Norwegian champion, and Elmer Foster, who is one of the most expert skaters in the northwest. In addition there will be base ball and polo games on skates, wheelbarrow races, carnivals, fast and fancy skating exhibitions, and other unique novelties in the sporting line.

The best batting team made up of Western Association players, according to the averages, would be composed of Earle, Milwaukee; catcher; Hudson, Minneapolis; pitcher; Morrissey, Milwaukee; first baseman; Henzie, Omaha; second baseman; Reilly, St. Paul; third baseman; Cline, Sioux City; short stop; Chalmers, Denver; left fielder; Krieg, St. Joe; center fielder; and Treadway, Denver, right fielder. The best fielding: Nagle, Omaha; catcher; Duke, Minneapolis; pitcher; Andrews, Omaha; first baseman; Henzie, Minneapolis; second baseman; Bradley, Sioux City; third baseman; Macaulay, Des Moines; short stop; Cline, St. Paul; left fielder; Cooney, Omaha; center fielder; and Patton, Des Moines; right fielder. The best base running: Farmer, St. Paul; catcher; Hart, Des Moines; pitcher; Cline, St. Paul; first baseman; Crooks, Omaha; second baseman; Cline, Sioux City; short stop; Chalmers, Denver; left fielder; Krieg, St. Joe; center fielder; and Patton, Des Moines; right fielder.

Questions and Answers.
Can a player, injured, and who is laid up in the American association for the past four seasons, previous to that of 1889—Long T. Hastings.

Ans.—Browning, Louisville, 1885; Orr, Metropolitan, 1886; and O'Neil, of St. Louis in '87 and '88.

T. W. city—You lost. The run does not count.

To decide a war over who please state in Sunday's sporting column the open season for ducks in Nebraska—Robert H. Forrest, Omaha.

Ans.—There is no law in this state regulating wild fowl shooting, as greatly as it is needed. After the birds have been exterminated there will be plenty of protective legislation.

How many times did Sullivan and Pandey Ryan meet, and what was the result of each meet. Where was John L. born and how old is he? Also please give me the record for running high jump, standing high jump with and without weights.—Athlete, Central City.

Ans.—Three times. First in a bare knuckle fight for the championship of America and \$5,000 a side at Mississippi City, on February 7, '82, Ryan being knocked out in 10 minutes and 30 seconds. On January 19, 1885, Ryan undertook to stand before Sullivan for four rounds at Madison Square garden, New York, but the police stopped the fun in the second round. In November, 1886, the two again met again in San Francisco, and Ryan was knocked out in the third round. Running high jump 6 feet 4 inches, made by W. Byrd Page at Philadelphia, October 7, '87. Standing high jump with weights, 5 feet 3/4 inches, T. F. Kearney, Brooklyn, September 11, '86; without weights, 5 feet 3/4 inches, W. Soren, Mott Haven, May 29, '80.

Can you inform an old patron of the turf the best trotting record for the past season, by city by date.

Ans.—The best time made during the past season was made by Guy, 2:10 1/2; then follows Artell, 2:12; Belle Hamlin, 2:12 1/2; Palo Alto, 2:13 1/2; Sunol, 2:13 1/2; Honey McGregor, 2:13 1/2; and Nelson, 2:14 1/2. The sports have reeled off the mile as follows: Gold Leaf, 2:11 1/2; Brown Hal, 2:12 1/2; Roy Wilson, 2:12 1/2; Hal Pointer, 2:13; Bossmer, 2:13 1/2; Budd Doble, 2:13 1/2; Willard M., 2:14; Lillian, 2:14.

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